



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**Applicant** 

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: MOTOR USING RECTANGULAR WAVE LEAD WIRE

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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Official Action of March 10, 2008, in connection with the above identified application. This response is timely filed.

The Official Action is a restriction requirement in which it is urged that there are two separate and distinct inventions claimed in this application. Applicants elect the Group I invention which includes claims 1-3 and 6, without traverse. Applicants reserve the right to file one or more divisional applications on the non-elected inventions at a later time.

In view of the election of the Group I invention, without traverse, an early and favorable action on the merits is now believed to be in order and is most respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted, BACON & THOMAS, PLLC

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